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Wolf Pack's top **ORI** performers

The Pacific Air Forces' Inspector General picks Kunsan's top **Operational** Readiness Inspection performers. See page 5

News Briefs

Film fest tour sign-up available Wolf Pack members are invited to attend the Jeonju Film Festival April 25. A bus will leave Kunsan at 2 p.m. The free tour includes opening ceremonies, a film and a meal. For more

information, call unit first sergeants or

CCAF reports available online

executive officers.

Air Force members can now get their own Community College of the Air Force progress reports online. Register at https://afvec.langley.af.mil/afvec/

TSP open season in effect

The thrift savings plan open season is running through June 30. All elections signed (effective) April 15 to May 31 will begin contributions June 1. All elections signed (effective) June 1 to 30 begin contributions July 1. Maximum Base Percentage: 8 percent for the year 2003. Maximum Internal Revenue Service Limit for 2003 is \$12,000. For more information, call comptroller customer service at 782-

COLA survey available

A cost of living allowance survey is available online at http://175fincom.korea.army.mil/ through April 30. Kunsan's locality code is KS070. For more information, call comptroller customer service at 782-5574.

Community assessment survey

Servicemembers at Kunsan have the opportunity to help Air Force members worldwide by participating in the community assessment survey. Servicemembers will be randomly selected to participate in the study, designed to directly influence family services and related support activities at local bases and throughout the Air Force by taking the survey. For more information, call the Family Support Center at 782-5627.



Airmen move tent during war

Airmen of the 786th Security Forces Squadron move their tent to a new spot at Bashur Airfield in northern Iraq. The 86th Expeditionary Contingency Response Group set up camp around the airfield when it landed there March 26. The group's mission is to land at a bare base and set up airfield opera-

Twisted Sister concert

Twisted Sister will perform a free concert 7 p.m. May 3 in the Loring Club parking lot. For more information, call 782-4575.



DEFEND THE BASE: Staff Sgt. Matthew Ladowitz (right) and Staff Sgt. Terrell Dorsey (left), both 8th Security Forces Squadron, crouch and take cover from a simulated opposing forces attack during the Operational Readiness Inspection last week. About 75 percent of the base's security forces are here on their first assignment. See more ORI photos, pages 6 and 7.

Air Force begins re-deploying troops

B-2, F-117 no longer needed for Operation Iraqi Freedom

> By Capt. Sam Highley Air Force Print News

WASHINGTON — The Air Force has started redeploying some its assets supporting Operation Iraqi according Freedom, defense officials.

The return of B-2 Spirit, F-117 Nighthawk and some F-15 Eagle aircraft has already begun, the officials said. It is all part of a process to redeploy forces no longer required for OIF, so that the deployed aircraft can be fixed, the airmen can rest, and the forces can "reconstitute for whatever comes next," they said.

The Joint Staff's vice director for operations, Army Maj. Gen. Stanley A. McChrystal, said during a



HOMEWARD BOUND: An F-117 Nighthawk and F-15E Strike Eagles prepare to launch Monday from a forwarddeployed location supporting Operation Iraqi Freedom. The 8th Expeditionary Fighter Squadron and its F-117s are returning home to Holloman Air Force Base, N.M., after supporting the war in Iraq. The F-15Es are from Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.

Pentagon press briefing April 14 that the air war in Iraq has slowed in recent days.

"(U.S. Central Command Commander Gen. Tommy Franks) is free to make decisions to re-deploy those assets that he no longer feels he

needs for this part of the operation, and he is doing that in selected cases McChrystal said. "Clearly those assets which were focused on our high intensity air campaign would be the most likely initially.'

Navy air assets also are starting the re-deployment process, McChrystal said. Monday was the last day aircraft from all five carrier battle groups flew missions in to

As the 5th Fleet commander mentioned over the weekend, a couple of (the battle groups) will be departing the region over the course of the next few days," he said.

A change on the battlefield has caused the slow down, evidenced by coalition air forces dropping less than 200 precision-guided munitions in the last 24 hours to support operations on the ground, McChrystal said.

"I would anticipate that the major combat engagements are over because the major Iraqi units on the ground cease to show coherence," he

"I think we will move in to a phase where it is smaller, albeit sharp, fights," McChrystal added.

Why do we fight?

Friend's words hit commander on war against terrorism

By Col. Marshall Sabol 321st Air Expeditionary Wing commander

OPERATION IRAQI FREE-

DOM — Now that we've been involved in the war on terrorism for some time through operations Enduring and Iraqi Freedom, I think it's important to reflect on why we fight.

I was working on this article when I received an e-mail from a very good friend of mine. He was in the World Trade Center Sept. 11 when it was hit — his words to me, to us, hit the

"I am sitting in the comfort of a beautiful home, safe and secure, due in large part to what you and your team are doing today. I send my heartfelt thanks to you for the sacri-

fice that you and your wonderful group of young people are offering up to our country. I pray daily for the safe return of all of you. I also pray for the innocents that are in the way of your difficult work.

"How does a country like ours have the great fortune to have dedicated people like you and your command in our service? How can we thank you and your families enough for all that they have been asked to bear?

"As you know, my service to our country was with the 3rd infantry at Arlington in the late 60s. Back then, late at night, I would see the faces of those we had put to rest and know first hand the dangers that all of our troops must be experiencing today.

"At night these days I see the faces of the men in uniform who came to our rescue in the buildings on 9/11. Arlington did not prepare me for the river of tears that were shed here in New York over the last 16 months. The justice that I feel that all of you are delivering today warms my troubled soul. I believe all those who were lost that day would send you

their gratitude as well.

"I think of how proud I was to give a few years to my country's service. I now feel the same kind of pride when I reflect upon all the people we have in uniform today in harm's way. It gives me a great deal of comfort to know there are dedicated professionals like you and your team that this country can call upon, in our time of need.

"I lost many friends on 9/11. I truly believe that what you are doing for us today is making us all a lot safer. I also believe that you are making those who don't like us more reflective of the consequence of their actions.

"God bless you. God bless all in your command. God Bless America. "Survivor WTC 9/11"

Let us never forget why we fight. I salute you and am proud to be in this fight with you, and leave you with this quote, one by Abraham Lincoln:

"Our reliance is in the love of liberty ... Our defense is in the preservation of the spirit which prizes liberty as the heritage of all men, in all lands, everywhere.'

ACTION LINE 782-5284



Col. Guy Dahlbeck Commander, 8th Fighter Wing

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'Thank you for the work that you do'

By Cynthia Minnick Secretary of the Air Force Office of Public Affairs

WASHINGTON —

Morning commutes in the nation's capital are not typically a pleasant experience. Those of us who use public transportation contend with the daily routine of riding buses, commuter trains, or our rail system, called the Metro.

Most people who ride the Metro don't bother to talk or look at each other. Newspapers, books and portable music devices are often whipped out by a rider as soon as he or she sits down; small attempts to build little shields of privacy in a public place.

I usually get up from my seat just before arrival at the Pentagon station. Just like every other stop, there is an announcement from the train operator, "Next stop, Pentagon. Doors opening on the left." Nothing special in any of it. Nothing personal in any of it. Typical daily grind.

Like many people, I

sometimes think, "What am I doing this for?" Some days I am uncertain. But every once in awhile, there are mornings where I am absolutely sure of why I continue to be part of America's defense team. And that surety comes from a few simple words; spoken by a man I do not know and have never seen.

You see, every once in awhile I am fortunate to catch a train with a unique operator at the helm. Like all the other operators, he is very professional and a model Metro employee when he announces, "Next stop, Pentagon. Doors opening on the left." But it's the next few words he speaks that make me think he is really someone special. As the doors open and we all begin to exit the train, he says, quite simply and sincerely, "Thank you for the work that you do."

I don t know about any one else, but as I come into the Pentagon after hearing his words, it doesn't bother me that I have to walk through security check-

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> - Cynthia Minnick Secretary of the Air Force Office of Public Affairs

points, past men with machine guns and other assorted military hardware. It doesn't bother me that I have an escape mask at my desk, in case of chemical or biological attack. I don't even mind that I've long abandoned fashionable high-heels in favor of sensible shoes [easier to run in, if necessary]. None of that matters because he has reminded me again why I continue to do what I do for a living.

I serve on this defense team for him, the unknown train operator. And for the waitress who smiles despite her aching back. And for the gap-toothed kid who looks to the skies and dreams of flying someday.

To be honest, I'm even doing it for the young woman who came to D.C. from an Ivy League school using her daddy's platinum credit card, so she could protest the war. I'm doing it for all the people in this country who I'll never meet and will never know. I serve for them.

If I ever get a chance, I'm going to meet that Metro man one day. I'm going to shake his hand and tell him how much his words mean. And I'm going to tell him that he is a fine train operator and express my appreciation to him for a job well done.

After all, everyone likes to be thanked for the work that they do.

COMMUNITY STANDARDS

Unit Mascots

The only animals approved as for use as unit mascots are cats, dogs, or birds. All animals must be spayed or neutered at unit expense. All animals must receive all required vaccinations to ensure health and welfare of the animal as well as base People. Unit commanders will coordinate with the Army Veterinary Service to determine vaccination requirements. All animals are required to have annual health evaluation/certificate. Unit commanders will coordinate with the 8th Medical Group's Public Health for periodic facility inspections to ensure the mascot is provided safe, sanitary and humane living conditions. All units will assign primary and and alternate points of contact who will be the focal point for all questions regarding the mascot. If kept inside, the mascot should be restricted to a small office or work center. Signs indicating the presence of the animal should be conspicuously posted to alert patrons. These locations also should provide adequate protection for the animal from severe weather conditions.

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New medical equipment streamlines patient decon

By Senior Airman Andrew Svoboda 8th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

The 8th Medical Squadron implemented new equipment last week to provide better patient care during contingencies.

The equipment, used for the first time at Kunsan during the Operational Readiness Inspection, allowed medics to decontaminate patients in a more expeditious manner. In a mass casualty environment, time is everything.

"We want to save as many lives as possible," said Maj. Randy Smith, 8th Medical Group chief of bioenvironmental. "With this new equipment, we nearly double the patients we decontaminate from 6 or 7 an hour to 12 or 14."

The new work station, which new not only to Kunsan but throughout the Air Force, uses rollers to move a patient's stretcher from one decontamination station to the next in a conveyer belt-manner.

"In the past, we've set-up two NATO litter carrier [a device similar to a gurney] side by side, and after a patient was done at one station, had to physically lift the person and wheel in a new litter carrier. This new equipment is going to speed up the process by simplifying the lifting."

There will be little or no lifting with the new equipment. Many patients needing decontamination

will still be wearing individual protective equipment and field gear when they arrive. Medics will remove the IPE gear and secure patients on a detachable stretcher, then move them to the first station, located at the head of the conveyer belt inside a general-purpose temper tent. The tent itself has two layers of plastic, in the event a chemical attack takes place in the same sector it's set-up in.

Inside the tent, medics wearing the full chemical ensemble will cut off the patient's chemical suit and use hoses to spray the patient with bleach solution and water, in a process similar to that of a chemical contamination area.

"The hoses are another improvement on the process," said Smith. "In the past, we had to use

As they decontaminate the patient, the medics stand on a raised platform, so they are standing in puddles of chemicals as they're washing patients. Inside the tent, an eight-inch lip surrounds the decontamination area, complete with pumps and drains to channel the chemical water out of the tent.

After being sprayed with hoses, patients are rolled to the second station on the conveyer belt, where any field dressing or splints are removed and new are applied if possible. Patients are then transported to a litter carrier and wheeled outside the designated vapor hazard line, where their mask is finally removed and they await further medical attention.



Maj. Randy Smith, 8th Medical Group chief of bioenvironmental, looks on as medical troops practice patient decontamination. The new process was implemented during last week's inspection.

'Resolute Strike' nets intel on ambush

By Spc. Jim Wagner Army News Service

SANGIN, Afghanistan — A task force led by 3rd Battalion, 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment garnered information and equipment related to an ambush that left two U.S. service members dead and one seriously

The mission of Operation Resolute Strike — conducted April 8 and 9 in the affluent southern Afghanistan city of Sangin by 82nd Airborne Division paratroopers, Special Forces operators and criminal investigation task force members — was two-fold: to gain intelligence and the perpetrators of the March 29 ambush, and to deny sanctuary and remove weapons and ammunition used by anti-coalition forces.

Lt. Col. Richard Clarke, task force 3-504th PIR commander, said the operation was a success on both

"We're gathering a significant amount of information about this ambush that may help lead others to find the perpetrators/attackers," Clarke

said after the first day of the operation. "What we've done so far is recover a significant amount of small arms, mortar rounds, mortar tubes and anti-tank mines. Most importantly, we recovered bomb-making materials, to include some old C-4, and explosive devices that could have been used against coalition forces later."

At the end of the operation, a large cache of AK-47s, RPG launchers and other small arms weapons were taken by U.S. forces.

When the convoy moving outside of Sangin was ambushed March 29, the equipment used by the three U.S. casualties was left behind in the rush to Medivac them to safety. One of the key goals of Operation Resolute Strike was to get that equipment back.

'It looks like we've recovered one weapon and we're in the process of recovering additional materials from the ambush against coalition forces," Clarke said.

Capt. Del Monroy, battalion intelligence officer, said the overwhelming show of force used in the operation was critical to the mission's success.



Criminal Investigation Task Force members escort an Afghan aboard a CH-47 "Chinook" Wednesday for questioning back at Kandahar during Operation Resolute Strike.

Airmen stay busy as hostilities wind down

By Master Sgt. Scott Elliott Air Force Print News

WASHINGTON — Even though hostilities in Iraq appear to be winding down, airmen who fly combat missions over that war-torn nation say their job is not finished yet.

"We still have pockets of resistance in various areas, and until we have complete control we need to have air power up there supporting the ground troops," said Lt. Col. Grant Bishop, an F-16CJ Fighting Falcon pilot. Bishop, deployed supporting Operation Iraqi Freedom, spoke to reporters during an interview April 14 via satellite feed from Doha, Qatar.

"It may look like things are slowing down ... but there are coalition fighters up in the air 24-hours-a-day around Iraq making sure no problems exist," he said

According to Capt. Mary Melfi, an F-15E Strike Eagle weapons system officer, providing support to the ground troops means coordinating closely with them to find out what specific targets they want hit.

"We'll talk with the guys on the ground, the Army and Marines, to find out what kind of tasking they have for us," she said. "They might have a specific goal in mind — an airfield or a city they're trying to take — and need us to clear the way.'

Successful coordination with ground troops has been an evolutionary process that has been getting better every day, Melfi said. Bishop claimed it was all part of the plan.

The results of air supremacy are evident from up above, he added.

"From my cockpit, as I look down, I know we're doing a great job because you can see (our) tanks racing across the desert with big rooster tails



Staff Sgt. Jason Fields (left) and Staff Sgt. Ryan Ziemer, 86th Expeditionary Contingency Response Group partrol members, at an air base in northern Iraq.

of dust behind them," he said.

With the air war slowing down Bishop said the focus of air power is shifting to a different phase.

"It's important to remember this war is going in phases," he said. "You've seen on television that we're flying water and various supplies to the people of Iraq. Obviously, everyone wants to go home and see their families, but we know we have a job to do."

It has become a rebuilding process, he said.

"If that means we have our forces on the ground in Iraq, then we'll do that to help the people of Iraq maintain their freedom," he said. "The Iragis are the same as we are — they want the same things: freedom and the pursuit of happiness."

NEWS

12 airmen receive Articles 15

welve members of the Wolf Pack received punishment under Article 15 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice in February.

☐ A staff sergeant from the 8th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron received Article 15 punishment for physically assaulting an Army private, a violation of Article 128, UCMJ. The commander imposed punishment consisting of a reduction to the grade of senior airman, suspended for six months, restriction to base for 30 days and restriction from the Loring Club and all squadron lounges between the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. for 30 days.

A staff sergeant from the 8th AMXS received Article 15 punishment for using disrespectful language towards a NCO, dereliction of duty for failing to remove his tongue stud while on base in civilian clothing, wrongfully using provoking words toward a master sergeant, and making and uttering 11 worthless checks in a total amount of \$890, violations of Articles 91, 92, 117 and 134, UCMJ. The commander imposed punishment consisting of a reduction to the grade of senior airman, restriction to base for nine days, restriction from the Loring Club and all off-duty squadron establishments between the hours of 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. for nine days and nine days extra duty.

☐ A senior airman from the 8th AMXS received Article 15 punishment for physically assaulting another airman, a violation of Article 128, UCMJ. The commander imposed punishment consisting of a reduction to the grade of airman first class, restriction to base for 30 days and 15 days extra duty.

☐ A senior airman from the 8th AMXS received Article 15 punishment for wrongfully using another's military identification card, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. The commander imposed punishment consisting of a reduction to the grade of airman first class, suspended for six months and restriction to base for 30 days.

A staff sergeant from the 8th Logistics Readiness Squadron received Article 15 punishment for making and uttering 10 worthless checks over a three-month period in a total amount of \$1,774.50, a violation of Article 134, UCMJ. The member wrote



the checks to the Army and Air Force Exchange Service, the Loring Club and the Osan Mustang Club. The commander imposed punishment consisting of a reduction to the grade of senior airman.

☐ A senior airman from the 8th LRS received Article 15 punishment for physically assaulting an Army private and disorderly conduct, violations of Articles 128 and 134, UCMJ. The commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the grade of airman first class, suspended for six months, and a reprimand.

A senior airman from the 8th LRS received Article 15 punishment for dereliction of duty for using his government travel card for unofficial business and failing to pay his government travel card debt, violations of Articles 92 and 134, UCMJ. The member used the card while on leave in the United States for more than \$1,200 in unofficial expenses, and wrongfully failed to pay approximately \$4,100 on his government travel card debt. The commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the grade of airman first class, suspended for six months and restriction to base for 30 days.

☐ A technical sergeant from the 8th Operations Support Squadron received Article 15 punishment for dereliction of duty for failing to return to base by curfew and failure to obey a lawful order to move back onto base, violations of Article 92, UCMJ. The commander imposed a punishment consisting of restriction to base for 60 days, of which 30 days was suspended for six months.

☐ An airman first class from the 8th Security Forces Squadron received Article 15 punishment for failing to go to his appointed place of duty at the appointed time, a violation of Article 86, UCMJ. The commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the grade of airman.

A senior airman from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for larceny, a violation of Article 121, UCMJ. The airman stole several items of clothing belonging to others from the dormitory laundry area, a squadron sweatshirt and skull cap from the squadron Christmas party and a helmet belonging to the government. The commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the grade of airman first class, suspended for six months, and a reprimand.

☐ A senior airman from the 8th SFS received Article 15 punishment for using disrespectful language towards a NCO and making a false official statement, violations of Articles 91 and 107, UCMJ. The commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the grade of airman first class, suspended for six months, restriction to base for 14 days and 14 days extra duty.

☐ An airman first class from the 80th Fighter Squadron received Article 15 punishment for breach of peace for wrongfully pulling a fire alarm and drunk and disorderly conduct, violations of Articles 116 and 134, UCMJ. The airman, who was intoxicated at the time, pulled the fire alarm at approximately 2 a.m. in an Osan Air Base dormitory, causing the dormitory residents to evacuate the building. The commander imposed punishment consisting of reduction to the grade of airman, restriction to base for 60 days, restriction from the Loring Club and all off-duty squadron establishments between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. for 60 days.

— 8th Fighter Wing Legal Office

Three courts-marital held at Kunsan AB

Capt. Christine Trend 8th Fighter Wing Legal Office

Two general courts-martial and a special court-martial were held April 4 and 5 at the Kunsan Air Base Courtroom.

☐ An airman first class from the 8th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, was convicted pursuant to his plea of desertion. The airman failed to return from his leave to the Philippines in October 2002 and remained there until he was apprehended in early February by Philippine authorities working in conjunction with the Air Force Office of Special Investigations.

☐ The airman was sentenced by a military judge sitting alone to eight months confinement, reduction to E-1, forfeiture of \$600 per month for eight months and a dishonorable discharge.

☐ A senior airman from the 8th Medical Group was convicted of violation of a lawful regulation and possession of child pornography on his government computer. The airman used his government computer to surf for, download and save adult pornography, child pornography and bestiality material over a five-month period.

His misuse was discovered when an 8th Communications Squadron systems administrator discovered the airman had visited several child pornography sites and immediately notified OSI.

After seizing the airman's computer, OSI discovered hundreds of images depicting child pornography, hundreds of movies depicting adult pornography and bestiality, and thousands of images depicting adult pornography and bestiality were saved to the airman's government hard drive.

A military judge sitting alone found, pursuant to the airman's pleas, the airman misused his government computer in violation of a communications regulation prohibiting unofficial use of a government computer and he knowingly possessed child pornography. The judge sentenced the airman to 10 months confinement, reduction to E-1, total forfeitures and a bad conduct discharge.

☐ A technical sergeant from the 8th Operations Support Squadron, was convicted pursuant to his pleas of making and uttering worthless checks by dishonorably failing to maintain funds in his checking account. The technical sergeant wrote 32 checks to a variety of base agencies over a 10-month period totaling \$4535.82.

The military judge sitting alone sentenced the technical sergeant to reduction to the grade of E-5 and 30 days confinement. At the time of the courtmartial, the technical sergeant had more than 19 years in service.



Photo by Master Sgt. Keith Red

M — Senior Airman

EXTREME SPORTS: OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM — Senior Airman lan Garcia takes a break at Bashur Airfield in northern Iraq. Garcia is part of a six-man explosive ordnance disposal team at the base. He said he put up the sign next to a mud hole because he was tired of seeing people walk by frowning, and he wanted them to smile. Garcia is deployed from Nellis Air Force Base, Nev.

Month of the Military Child

In honor of April being "Month of the Military Child," the Wolf Pack Warrior is soliciting messages from Wolf Pack members to their children back home to be run in the newspaper. Submissions are due no later than close of business Tuesday. Family members will be able to read messages by looking at the paper online. Submissions need to be brief and can be e-mailed to wolfpackwarrior@kunsan.af.mil.

Operational Readiness Inspection outstanding performers

8th Fighter Wing Staff Sgt. Milton Ziegler

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35th Fighter Squadron Capt. Jeffrey Abraham

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8th Communication Squadron Airman 1st Class Brian Woods

8th Fighter Wing Emergency Action Controllers Senior Airman Tenola Clark Staff Sgt. Reginald Gray

80th Aircraft Maintenance Unit Weapons Load Crew <u>#26</u> Senior Airman William

Staff Sgt. Justin Price

Senior Airman William Rouse

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> — Courtesy of Pacific Air Forces Inspector General team

Airman Leadership graduates

The following 8th Fighter Wing senior airmen are graduates of airman leadership school class 03-C:

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8th Security Forces Squadron Bradford Cambra — Courtesy Osan Airman Leadership

English speaking volunteers

People interested in teaching English to students can do so 8:30 am. to 4 p.m. Saturday. Volunteers must have a date estimated return from overseas of no earlier than July 03.

This volunteer opportunity requires a six-month commitment. For more information, e-mail SongAe.Song@kunsan.af.mil.

2002 8th Fighter Wing Logistics Awards

Outstanding Maintenance Performers of the Year

Supervisor-Manager- Senior Master Sgt. Gary R. Pritchard, 8th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Technician-Supervisor- Tech. Sgt. Steven P. Trekas, 8th Maintenance Squadron

Technician- Senior Airman Kevin W. Vinyard, 8th MXS

Outstanding Maintenance Support/Systems Performers of the Year

Supervisor-Manager- Master Sgt. Denise Richardson, 8th Maintenance Operations Squadron

Technician-Supervisor- Tech. Sgt. Lena L. English, 8th AMXS

Technician- Senior Airman Angela G. Grey, 8th MXO

Weapons Load Crew of the Year

Staff Sgt. Robert D. Darrell, 80th Aircraft Maintenance Unit Senior Airman Michael A. Gurtner, 80th AMU Airman 1st Class Jonathan J. Swearengen, 80th AMU

Crew Chief of the Year

Staff Sgt. Byron D. Gwyn, 8th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

— Courtesy of 8th Logistics Readiness Squadron

Job: 8th Civil Engineer Squadron power production/barrier mainte-

Duties: Provide back-up generator power for mission-essential facili-

Hometown: Eugene, Ore.

Follow on: Luke Air Force Base, N.M.

Hobbies: Playing intramural sports, like football, basketball and soft-

Favorite music: Mostly country, but I like all music.

Last good movie you saw: "Red Dragon"

Best thing you've done at Kunsan: Being part of the lead team for barrier maintenance during a real-world in-flight emergency. That's part of our job that's very exciting.

Senior Airman David Frank

'Senior Airman Frank has personally taken charge of many generator maintenance activities, from maintaining power to 10 key facilities during Typhoon Rusa to restoring a previously condemned generator, saving more than \$15,000 in replacement costs. His can-do attitude and unrelenting work ethic sets the example for all in the shop from airmen to veteran NCOs."

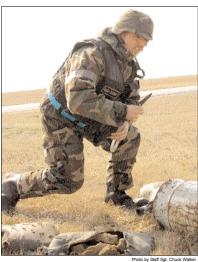
Master Sgt. Charles Johnson

8th CES power production/barrier maintenance foreman

OPERATIONAL READINESS INSPECTION



Photo by Staff Sg. Martza Freeland
8th Maintenance Squadron ammo troops attach a bomb to a trailor while wearing chemical gear.
Weapons troops drive the hombs to the flightline, where they're loaded on aircraft.



Staff Sgt. Frank Pulice, 8th Civil Engineer Squadron explosive ordnance disposal flight, inspects a unexploded ordnance.



8th Civil Engineer Squadron fire protection flight troops carry simulated injured during a simulated fire



Tech. Sgt. Jerry McGarity and Staff Sgt. William Swentowski, 8th Communications Squadron meteorlogical navigation maintenance shop, set-up a TRN-41 mobile tactical air navigation system. This temporary system serves as a beacon for aircraft and was set-up after the very high fre-



Tech. Sgt. Rodney Grohler, 8th Civil Engineer Squadron, supervises and directs troops responding to a rapid runway repair scenario.



Senior Airman Melissa Dusek and Lt. Col. (Dr.) Edward Cotton, 8th Medical Operations Squadron, load a simulated rescued pilot to an ambulance after a pilot extraction scenario. The scenario involved firefighters, medics and transient alert rescuing the pilot from a damaged aircraft.



Staff Sgt. Milton Ziegler, 8th Fighter Wing comptroller flight, destroys simulated money during a scenario. Money is destroyed after the wing commander orders the base to take a limited financial posture



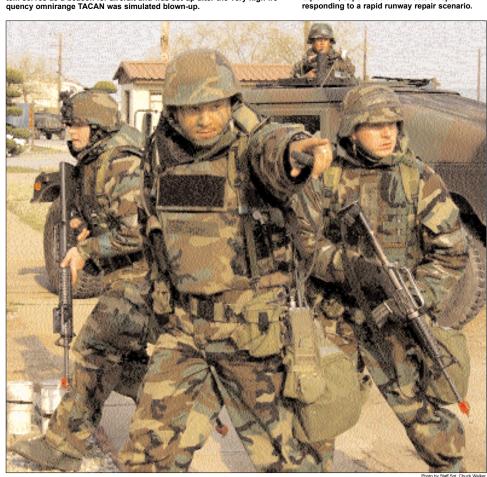
Chaplain (Lt. Col.) Richard Dunn and chaplain assistant Staff Sgt. Marc Simon search for unexploded ordnance during a UXO sweep.



Representatives from each squadron work in the Survival Recovery Center representa-



An F-16 taxis toward the flightline during the Operational Readiness Inspection. Kunsan jets flew a total of 209 sorties during the inspection.



Staff Sgt. Terrell Dorsey, 8th Security Forces Squadron, leads a fire team consisting of Staff Sgt. Matthew Ladowitz, (left) and Airman 1st Class Nathan Birklid, also 8th SFS, into combat against opposing forces during a simulated bugle call.

AT EASE



Today

Free food The Loring Club offers club members barbecue ribs 6 to 9 p.m. in the ballroom. For more information, call 782-4312 or 782-4575.

Howlin' Bowl The Yellow Sea Bowling Center has howlin' bowl Fridays from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. The cost is \$11 a person or \$50 a lane. For more information, call 782-4608.

Smorgasbord buffet The Loring Club hosts a super smorgasbord 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Karaoke Display your talent or cheer on others 8 p.m. to midnight at the Falcon Community Center.

Saturday

9-pin tournament The Yellow Sea Bowling Center hosts a 9-pin bowling tournament starting at 6:30 p.m. The entry fee is \$13. For more information, call 782-4608.

Country night The Loring Club hosts country night in the ballroom 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. For more information, call 782-4313 or 782-4575.

Photo club The photo club is taking a trip to the local country side at 2 p.m. The winner receives a phone card. For more information, call 782-4679 or 782-4619.

E-Mart trip The Falcon Community Center hosts a shopping tour to E-Mart in Kunsan City. Busses depart the base at 10 a.m., noon, 2 and 4 p.m. Busses return to base at 1, 3 and 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$2. For more information, call 782-4619.

Wolf Pack Wheels Departs Kunsan for Osan AB at 7:30 and 10 a.m. The bus returns to base at 5 and 6 p.m. Tickets are

\$10/\$9 one way and \$20/\$18 round trip.

Sunday

Easter Brunch Extravaganza The Loring Club offers entrees and side dishes for Sunday brunch from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Price is \$11.95 per person for club members.

Bowling tournament The Yellow Sea Bowling Center's king of the hill tournament is underway. The cost is \$25. The top five bowlers win. The payout is 60 percent of the registration fees collected. For more information, call Larry McEntire at 782-4657.

Chicken wings The Loring Club has 10 cent chicken wings from 6 to 8 p.m. For more information, call 782-4575 or 782-4312.

B-I-N-G-O The Loring Club hosts bingo at 2 p.m. The early bird bingo game begins at 1:45 p.m.

Rent-A-Lane Rent-a-lane at the Yellow Sea Bowling Alley from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$6 per hour. For more information, call 782-4608.

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Monday

Mexican buffet The Loring Club has a Mexican buffet 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The cost is \$5.85 for club members and \$6.85 for nonmembers.

Bowling lessons The Yellow Sea Bowling Center offers bowling lessons by an experienced bowler noon to 2 p.m., 6:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. The cost is \$1 a game.

Double feature The community center offers a double feature movie madness starting at 6 p.m. For more information, call 782- 4679.

Pizza night The Loring Club has 50 cent pizza from 6 to 8 p.m. For more information, call 782-4575 or 782-4312.

Wolf Pack Wheels Departs Kunsan for Osan at 7:30 a.m. The bus returns to base at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$10 one way and \$20 round trip.



Photo by Staff Sgt. Jeremiah Erickso

LUNCH BUFFET: Staff Sgt. Charles Davis, 8th Fighter Wing manpower office, builds a taco at the Loring Club's Mexican Buffet. The Loring Club offers a variety of buffets throughout the week from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information, call 782-4575 or 782-4313.

Tuesday

Kun burger The Loring Club has a \$2 Kun burger from 6 to 8 p.m. For more information, call 782-4757 or 782-4312.

Chess night The Falcon Community Center hosts a chess night at 7 p.m. The winner receives a phone card. For more information, 782-4679 or 782-4619.

Oriental buffet The Loring Club has an Oriental buffet 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The cost is \$5.85 for club members and \$6.85 for nonmembers.

Wolf Pack Wheels Departs Kunsan for Yongsan at 7:30 a.m. The bus returns to base at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$15 one way and \$30 round trip

Wednesday

Free food The Loring Club offers club members free super subs 6 to 9 p.m. in the ballroom.

Pool tournament The Falcon Community Center hosts an 8-ball pool tournament starting at 7 p.m. the best two out of three games wins. A phone card goes to the winner. For more information, call 7824679 or 782-4619.

Texas barbecue The Loring Club has a Texas-style barbecue buffet 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Karaoke Display your talent or cheer on others 8 p.m. to midnight at the Falcon Community Center.

Thursday

Steak night The Loring Club has 2-for-1 steak night from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. For more information, call 782-4575.

Discount bowling The Yellow Sea Bowling Center has a discount day Thursday. Games are \$1 and shoes are 75 cents. For more information, call 782-4608.

Foosball tournament The Falcon Community Center hosts a double foosball tournament starting at 7 p.m. The winner receives a phone card. For more information, call 782-4679 or 782-4619.

Italian buffet The Loring Club has an Italian buffet 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Submit your events for 7-Days by sending an email to wolfpackwarrior@kunsan.af.mil. Submissions must include the time, date, place, point of contact and a phone number.

MOVIES

Saturday

"Shanghai Knights" (PG-13) Staring Jackie Chan and Owen Wilson. 7 and 9:30 p.m.

Sunday

"Shanghai Knights" (PG-13) 6 and 8 p.m.

Monday

"How to Lose a Guy in 10 Days" (PG-13) Staring Kate Hudson. 8 p.m.

Tuesday

"How to Lose a Guy in 10 Days" (PG-13) 8 p.m.

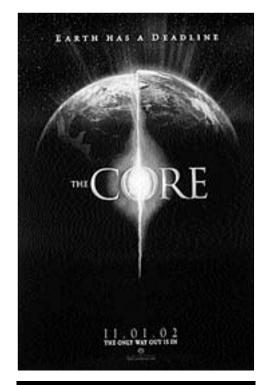
Wednesday

"The Recruit" (PG-13) Staring Al Pacino and Collin Farrell. 8 p.m.

Thursday

"Dreamcatcher" (R) Starring Donnie Wahlberg and Jason Lee. 8 p.m.

For more information, call 782-SHOW.



Tonight

"The Core" (PG-13)
Starring Aaron Eckhart and Hilary
Swank. 7 and 9:30 p.m.

Crossword Craziness



Congratulations to **Staff Sgt. Christina Webster**, 8th Medical Operations Squadron, and **Tech. Sgt. Matthew Mancill**, 8th Logistics Readiness Squadron, who managed to complete this puzzle, which appeared in the Day 4 edition of the Operational Readiness Inspection newsletter.

Education

CCAF graduation The spring 2003 Community College of the Air Force graduation ceremony is 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Loring Club. Degree candidates need to call the education office to see if they are eligible to participate. All graduates, supervisors and commanders are encouraged to attend the ceremony. For more information, call 782-5148

ASE exams The National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence examinations are May 6, 7 and 8. Tests should have been ordered by March 19. For more information, call 782-5148.

Conversational Korean class A free six-week conversational Korean class is offered 6 to 7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at building 1305. Students learn to speak and read basic phrases. If interested, e-mail Rosemary Song at SongAe.Song@kunsan.af.mil.

College registration Registration for term four runs through May 24. Class schedules are out. For more information, stop by the education office.

Troop-to-Teachers Troops-to-Teachers provides referral assistance and placement services to military personnel interested in beginning a second career in public education as a teacher. The DANTES Troops-to-Teachers office helps applicants identify teacher certification requirements, programs leading to certification and employment opportunities. The office's new Web site is www.jobs2teach.doded.mil.

CLEP/DANTES The education office offers CLEP/DANTES testing 8 a.m. Mondays and Fridays, and 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. Wednesdays. Call 782-5148 for an appointment. The Rosenblum Library offers a variety of CLEP and DANTES study material for loan. The library is open 9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. daily.

CDC testing Career Development Course testing is 9 a.m. Thursdays in building 1053, room 3. Unit training managers must make appointments for testing.

FSC

TAP Workshop The Family Support Center hosts a transition assistance program class 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Topics include: job search, resume writing, interview techniques, career exploration, legal affairs, medical insurance, Veterans Affairs benefits, relocation decisions, etc. For more information, call 782-5644.

Sponsorship Training The Family Support Center gives sponsors the tools to help make new members' transition to Kunsan an easy one. Training is 10 to 11 a.m. every third Wednesday at the Sonlight Inn. Registration required, call 782-5644.

Financial management A personal financial management program class is 2 to 3 p.m. in building 755, room 215. Air Force Instructions make this class mandatory for all E-4s and below at their first duty station. For more information, call 782-5644.

Return, reunion The Family Support Center hosts a return and reunion briefing 3:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the base theater. The briefing addresses the challenges of returning home after a separation.

Smooth Move A briefing to answer questions about permanent-change-of-station moves is 1 to 2:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of the month at the SonLight Inn. Legal, finance, housing, and medical experts provide information. Registration required, call 782-5644.

Survival Korean language class Twohour class teaches students how to read and write the Korean alphabet and also includes basic travel expressions. Class is 5 p.m. Thursday. Registration required, 782-5644.

Volunteer **Opportunities**

CISM peer counselors The life skills support clinic seeks volunteers interested in becoming critical incident stress management counselors. Counselors receive training. For more information, call Capt. Robert Vanecek at 782-4562.

Korean orphanage Volunteers are needed to help at the local Kae Chong Orphanage on a weekly basis. Kunsan people spend time with 40 children on Thursday nights. There is an English lesson and snack time that lasts for two hours. For more information, call Staff Sgt. Lynetta Williams or Staff Sgt. Jesse Hernandez at 782-4035.

Commissary bagging Base members

can volunteer to sack groceries 1:30 to 6:30 p.m. weekends for tips. Sign up at the com-

Chapel

Protestant services General Protestant Worship Service is 11 a.m. Sundays and the Contemporary Praise and Worship Service/Bible study is 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Both services are conducted in the chapel. For information about any chapel services, call 782-4300

Gospel Gospel services are 12:30 p.m. Sundays and the Inspirational Praise and Worship Service is 7:30 p.m. Fridays at the

LDS Services are 3 p.m. Sundays at the

Easter services

Catholic

Today: Good Friday Liturgy 5:30

Saturday: Easter Vigil at 8 p.m. Sunday: Easter Sunday Mass at 9

Protestant

Sunday: Unity Service at 11 a.m.

Courtesy of the 8th Fighter Wing Chapel

Church of Christ Services are 9:30 a.m. Sundays at the SonLight Inn, room 1.

Catholic services Mass is 5:30 p.m. Saturdays, 9 a.m. Sundays and 11:30 a.m. Monday through Thursday at the chapel. Catholic Reconciliation is by appointment Monday through Thursday and 4:30 to 5 p.m. Saturdays. R.C.I.A. is 7 p.m. Wednesdays in the chapel conference room. An "Overview of the Scriptures" is 7 p.m. Thursdays in the chapel conference room.

SonLight Inn hours The SonLight Inn is open 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays, 6 p.m. to midnight Fridays, 8 a.m. to midnight Saturdays and 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Sundays. For more information, call

Photo #4

Winning entry:

"And so begins another long day officer qualifica training"

— Master Sgt. Mark Haviland

"I'm telling you the star on the tail

keep saluting."
— Tech. Sgt. Michael Polley

8th Operations Support Squadron

"We're not moving until you salute

Senior Airman Richelle Greer

"No we will not take you to our

8th OSS

means its a generals plane just

Honorable mention:

782-5466.

Prayer & Bible studies The chapel hosts several prayer and Bible study groups at the chapel and Sonlight Inn. Groups

☐ Adult Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Sundays, SLI, room 3.

☐ Basic Christian Training, 9:30 a.m. Sundays at the SLI, room 3.

☐ Korean-American Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Mondays at the SLI, room 1.

☐ Women's Fellowship, 7 p.m. Tuesdays and every third Thursday at the SLI, room 2.

☐ Mid-Week Spiritual Boost, 12:15 p.m. Wednesdays at the chapel.

☐ Intercessory Prayer, 8:30 p.m. Saturdays at the SLI, room 2.

Miscellaneous

Off limits The 8th Security Forces Squadron's Combat Arms Firing Range, located on Little Coyote in buildings 3500 and 3501, and the areas adjacent to the range are off limits to all unauthorized people. Ouestions and concerns should be directed to CATUM at 782-5258.

Retirement ceremony The 8th Logistics Readiness Squadron requests your attendance at the retirement ceremony of Tech. Sgt. Vernon Helms 3 p.m. Monday at the Stinger's Lounge. For more information, call 1st Lt. Aaron Neiss or the readiness section at 782-5811 or 782-5425.

Tobacco fact Tobacco smoke contains at least 43 cancer-causing substances. Smoking causes many kinds of cancer, not just lung cancer. Tobacco use accounts for 30 percent, or one in three, of all cancer deaths in the United States. Smoking is responsible for almost 90 percent of lung cancers among men and more than 70 percent among women, about 83 percent overall. Cancers of the mouth, larynx, pharynx, esophagus, kidney, bladder, pancreas, and uterine cervix also have in common cigarette smoking as a

Submit your events for Bulletins by sending an email to wolfpackwarrior@kunsan.af.mil.

FREE CLASSIFIEDS

To submit an item for Free Classifieds, send an e-mail to wolfpackwarrior@kunsan.af.mil with "classifieds" and the category (Wanted, For Sale or Lost & Found) in the subject block. All submissions must contain member's rank, name and phone number and must originate from the member's e-mail account. No "personal" ads will be accepted. Deadline for submissions is noon Friday a week prior to desired printing. For more information, call 782-4705.

For Sale

Wanted

Electric guitar Phil Pro PSM-700, neck-through-body, maple, walnut, mahogany body, three Bill Lawrence pickups, Wilkinson Tremolo, beautiful wood stripes must see to appreciate, includes hard shell case, \$300 firm. Call Scott at 782-6480 (work).

Accounting technician The chapel has a part-time job opening for an accounting technician starting May 1. For more information, call Tech. Sgt. John Middaugh for a position description and work statement at 782-4300.

Korean Folk Village

The Falcon Community Center offers a tour to a Korean Folk Village that takes visitors to a Korean Folk village near Suwon. It's a living museum that recreates the lifestyle during the Chosun Dynasty. Folk dances and plays are presented twice daily in the performance arena. The bus departs a 7 a.m. and returns at 8 p.m. Sing up by Thursday. The cost is \$20/\$16* S.C.A.M. For more information, call 782-5213.



Photo #5

The Rules

1. Write a printable, humorous caption for photo #4.

2. Send entries by e-mail to wolfpackwarrior@kunsan. af.mil.

3. Entries are limited to two captions, per person, per photo. 4. The best captions will be printed daily with the next photo.

(Editor's note: Due to the popularity of the caption contest, the "Wolf Pack Warrior" staff has decided to continue it on a weekly basis.

CAPTION CONTEST

8th Logistics Readiness Squadron

"I don't care how long you can hold a salute, The plane is mine!" — Tech. Sgt. Paul Smith

"You thinkin' what I'm thinkin?"

"Yeah, I'm thinkin' I'd like to hear a little Lee Greenwood right about

> - Master Sgt. Batig 8th Maintenance Group

"Man how long we got to do this for? My arm is killing me!"
— Senior Airman Daniel

Carrasquillo 8th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

"If you boys don't move, you won't have much else to salute with! - Staff Sgt. William Kearns 8th Medical Support Squadron

"ORI — glad they're going home!."

- Senior Airman William 8th LRS

"That's a big cockroach!" - Senior Åirman Mark Neiderer 8th AMXS

Integrity Service Excellence

- Tech. Sgt. Michael Narmore

Death Volley sweeps the cops

By Staff Sgt. Chuck Walker 8th Communications Squadron

Power, talent and skill brought the Kunsan Varsity Volleyball team, "Death Volley" through the preseason tournament unscathed and it brought the team victory in its first match of the intramural regular season Tuesday.

Desten Cain brought the power, in the form of nine kills and five blocks and Larry LeBlanc and Michael McKinney brought the skill, in the form of 15 and 14 service aces a piece as Death Volley swept the 8th Security Forces Squadron 25-16 and 25-22.

The victory gives Death Volley its first of the regular season, and continues its dominance of the intramural league.

"Just another victory," Death Volley player-coach LeBlanc said. "We've all been playing for five years or more, so we've got a ton of experience. It really does help out a lot. A lot of the teams and players we face have never seen anything like this."

And for a while it looked like they caught the Cops napping.

In the first game, McKinney served six straight service points and Cain slammed home five kills to lead Death Volley to the easy victory.

Game two proved to be much

The Cops at one point built a 10-5 lead and looked to have the momentum. Enter McKinney and Cain, again.

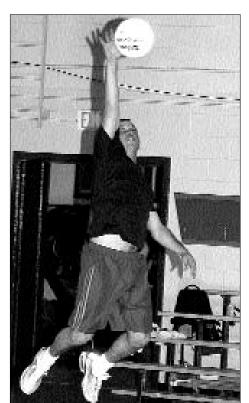
Cain drilled home four kills and McKinney served home four consecutive service points to give Death Volley the sweep.

As for his power, Cain said there is nothing unique about what he does.

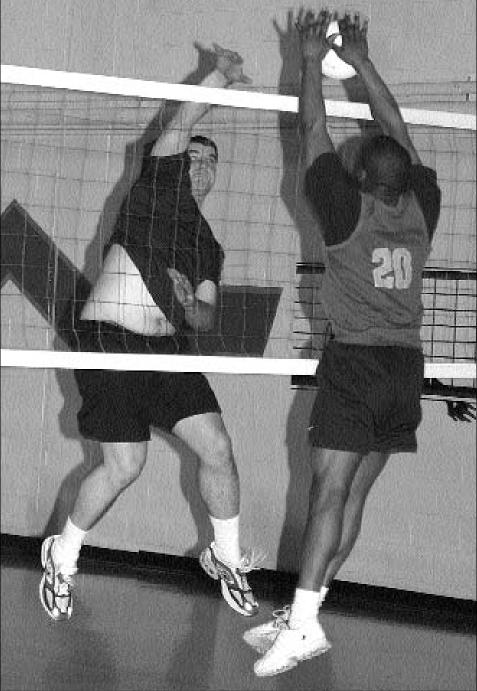
"It's just a matter of technique and practice," Cain said. "It doesn't take the strongest guy to do what I do. As long as you take the time and practice the technique, that's all there is to it."

Cops coach, James Robbins, said he was pleased with his team's play.

'We played awesome," Robbins said. "Especially with us playing against the varsity team. We were hitting our digs



Larry LeBlanc, of Death Volley, smacks a jump serve during his team's sweep of the 8th Security Forces Squadron in the first match of the season Tuesday.



Desten Cain (left) of Death Volley attempts a kill while Eric Morgan (right) of the 8th Security Forces Squadron blocks during the first match of the season for both teams Tuesday.

as well. I really think we have a chance to have a good team. Communication is going to be the key.'

Back row play, in Robbins' mind, was the difference.

"They got so much power from their back row," Robbins said. "They have a really strong back line. They also had a lot of strong over-hand spikes and serves. They are tough to hit."

As they did during the preseason tournament, Death Volley will use the intramural season as a means to stay sharp and to stay in shape as they prepare for the PACAF Volleyball tournament later this year in Yokota.

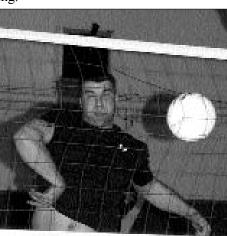
And another way Death Volley stays sharp is that it plays most of its games in the intramural season four-on-six. Despite other teams having a two-man advantage, they haven't lost a game yet.

"This is way a for us to keep ourselves in shape," LeBlanc said. "I don't think it's going to be much for us to go undefeated in the intramural league. If we do get beat it will be due to laziness and not hustling."

Despite its dominance of the intramural league, Kunsan has problems on the varsity level. LeBlanc said Death Volley is still in need of some new blood to help it compete with the other bases in Pacific Air Forces.

"We need to get new players because

we're losing a lot of people due to PCS," LeBlanc said. "We also have a smaller group to draw from since a lot of the other teams in PACAF are from bigger bases. We're definitely at a disadvantage, but we just need to be steadfast and keep on practicing and playing.





Desten Cain hits one into the net during Death Volley's game against the

SPORTS SHORTS

Bench press

The sports and fitness center hosts a bench press competition Sunday. Showtime for weigh-ins is 9:30 a.m. For more information, call 782-4026.

Volleyball tournament

The sports and fitness center hosts a volleyball tournament April 26 at 9 a.m. This is a single elimination vollevball tournament. Rosters are limited to five players plus one replacement in case of injury. For more information, call Tech. Sgt. Jeffrey Overly, assistant fitness director, at 782-4026.

Spin classes

The sports and fitness center and the health and wellness center offer spin classes. Times and locations are:

Today Noon and 5 p.m. Monday Noon and 5 p.m. Wednesday Noon and 5 p.m. Fitness center -

Today Tuesday 5 a.m. Thursday 5:15 a.m.



USAF Marathon registration

Registration is underway for the 2003 U.S. Air Force Marathon scheduled for Sept. 20. Reduced fees for early registration are available until June Registration deadline is Sept. 4. To register, visit the marathon Web site at http://afmarathon.wpafb. af.mil/, or call the marathon office at (937) 257-4350 or (800) 467-1823.

Fitness center hours

The sports and fitness center hours

Monday to Thursday 4:30 a.m. to midnight Friday 4:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. Weekends, holiday and down days 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. For more information, call 782-4026.

Martial Arts Classes

Budo Taijutsu/Ninjutsu

Noon Saturday and Sunday - FREE

Tae Kwon Do 8 to 9 p.m. Monday to Thursday

Kuk Sool Hapkido

7 a.m. and 7 p.m. Monday to Friday

Tang Soo Do 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. Monday to Friday

Aerobics Classes

Monday

5:30 a.m. - Aerobics 5:45 p.m. - 15-minute Abs 6 p.m. - Step Challenge

Tuesday 5:30 a.m. - Aerobics 6 p.m. - Step Challenge

Wednesday 5:30 a.m. - Aerobics 5:45 p.m. - 15-Minute Abs 6 p.m. - Kickbox

Thursday 5:30 a.m. - Aerobics 6 p.m. - Step Hi/Lo

Friday

5:30 p.m. - Aerobics 6 a.m. - Boot camp

Saturday 10 a.m. - Step Mountain 11 a.m. - 15-minute Abs

PACAF - Fit to Fight

Scores & More

American League				
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Red Devils	141	59		
Fabrication	126	74		
Med Dawgs	122	78		
SUPS A 114	86			
COMM A	110	90		
MOS	107	93		
SVS	104	96		
SFS	102	98		
TRANS	100	100		
OSS A	98	102		
35th AMF	96	104		
Munitions	86	114		
80th AMF	84	116		
COMM B	70	130		
GateKeepers	63	137		
Army	37	163		

National League

PMEL	125	67
Kwang Ju	118	74
Bad Ammo	113	79
Big Green Truck	112	80
Fuel Shop	98	94
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Avionics	97	95
Wing Dings	97	95
OSS Dumb Bells	96	96
Med GP B	96	96
QA "Buzzards"	90	102
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Munsons	84	108
Med GP C	78	114
Jack Stogies	74	118
Post Office	52	140



Tobacco Fact

Tobacco smoke contains at least 43 cancer-causing substances. Smoking causes many kinds of cancer, not just lung cancer. Among these are cancers of the mouth, larynx, pharynx, esophagus, kidney, bladder, pancreas, and uterine cervix.

The Health and Wellness Center offers free smoking cessation classes. For more information, call 782-4305.



Tips to Healthy Eating

Eat regular meals: Skipping meals can lead to out-of-control hunger, often resulting in overeating. When you're very hungry, it's also tempting to forget about good nutrition. Snacking between meals can help curb hunger, but don't eat so much that your snack becomes an entire meal.

> Information provided by Health and Wellness Center

Air Force cancels 2003 sports, training camps

SAN ANTONIO — In view of world events, operations tempo, and Stop-Loss measures, Air Force officials are canceling the 2003 Air Force sports and training camps program.

Officials will re-evaluate this decision in 90 days, depending on world

This difficult decision was made by the Air Force fitness and sports staff as well as Air Force senior leadership, according to officials at Air Force Services Agency headquarters here.

The following 2003 events are canceled: Armed Forces Women's Soccer Championship, Armed Force Men's Soccer Championship, Armed Forces Triathlon Championship, Armed Forces Taekwondo Invitational and U.S. Racquetball Association's National Championship.

Wrestling and women's basketball training camps and events currently in session will continue through final competition.

The Air Force fitness and sports staff will not accept applications for specialized training for sports listed on the 2003 Air Force Sports Calendar.



Air Force (white uniforms) and Navy competitors fight for the ball during the Women's Armed Forces Soccer Championship held recently at Fort Eustis, Va. The Air Force team went undefeated in double-round-robin play to win the championship. The Air Force has cancelled this year's Armed Forces Women's Soccer Championship, along with other sporting and training events, due to real world events, operations tempo and Stop-Loss measures.

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Dynasty:

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RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE,

Texas — For anyone who says sports dynasties are dead, say hello to the Air Force bowling team.

The team dominated the 25th annual Armed Forces Bowling Championship held March 14 to 20 at the Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

Airmen swept all the gold medals, claiming their fifth consecutive interservice team title and 15th overall since 1976. Their 53,971 total pinfall bested the Army (49,873), Navy (48,495) and Marine Corps (36,536). The Marines sent only nine bowlers to the event sporting 12-person teams.

"The other services have good bowlers," Air Force coach and tournament director Chuck Hall said. "But, from top to bottom, we're the strongest

Hall's winning roster (with their 24game scratch averages) included:

☐ Rickie Banister, F.E. Warren AFB,

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- Rickie Banister F.E. Warren Air Force Base, Wyo.

Air Force wins bowling championship

Wyo., 208.25

☐ Ricky Beck, Ellsworth AFB, S.D., 204.33

☐ Mitch Beasly, Recruiting Service Squadron, Arlington, Texas, 202.21

☐ Marty Bedford, Sembach Air Base, Germany, 195.79

☐ Chuck Carroll, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, 194.71

☐ Byron Randolph, Nellis AFB, Nev., 193.67

Women

☐ Clarice Fielder, Langley AFB, Va., 190.13

☐ Trish Rodgers, Lackland AFB, 181.46

☐ Bobbi Boutwell, Luke AFB, Ariz., 174.88

☐ MarCinda Baker, Offutt AFB, Neb., 171.42 ☐ Rebecca Moran, Tyndall AFB,

Fla., 167.96 ☐ Lori Trainor, Randolph AFB, 164.00

The Air Force opened the tourney by taking the six-game team event with 12,909 to the Army's 12,476; the Navy's 12,126; and the Marine Corps' 9,188.

Banister and Bedford combined for 2,698 to claim the men's doubles event. while Boutwell and Fielder posted a 2,326 for the women's doubles crown. The remaining eight Air Force bowlers paired off to sweep second and third places in both doubles events.

In mixed doubles play, Rodgers and Beasly teamed to roll an event best 2,394. Of the remaining 23 mixed pairings, the Air Force finished second, fourth, sixth, seventh and 13th.

The singles events belonged to the Air Force team captains, the only lefthanders on the squad. Banister's 1,426 led the men while Fielder's 1,212 paced the women.

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Lori Trainor from Randolph Air Force Base, Texas, peers over her ball during the Armed Forces Bowling Championship here. Airmen swept all the gold medals, claiming their fifth consecutive interservice team title and 15th overall since 1976. The Air Force has cancelled sporting events for 2003.

team," said Banister of the Air Force training camp held on the same lanes

"I was a new bowler and didn't know what to expect. The veterans showed me the way and kept pushing," he added.

Team total pinfalls in the singles event were: Air Force 14,083; Navy 12,466; Army 12,324; and Marine Corps 9,128.

Led by Fielder, the Air Force women finished 1-2-3, and in five out of the top seven places, in total pin count.

Meanwhile, the Air Force men made it a clean sweep of the top six spots.

Personal trainers:

The fitness center has personal trainers on staff to help people set up personalized workout programs. For more information, call 782-4026.

Wolf Pack spreads holiday cheer at local elementary school



1st Lt. Laura Beeson, 8th OSS, helps a fifth-grader color eggs in cups of pastel dye.



Students admire painted eggs as they dry in a cardboard holder.



Capt. Dede Halfhill, 8th Operations Support Squadron, helps an Okpong Elementary School student decorate an Easter egg Wednesday. Troops visited the school for cultural exchange.



Rosemary Song, 8th Fighter Wing community relations advisor, offers candy to students during the



Students use stamps and crayons to decorate the